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AMENDMENT

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SIR:

Responsive to the Official Action of December 12, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend Claim 1 as shown in clean form below. A marked-up copy of the amendment is attached.

1. (Amended) A method for synchronizing e-mail messages for a user, comprising the steps of:

(A) receiving, at an e-mail control at a local server, a plurality of e-mail messages addressed to the user, from an external e-mail server;

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